

Docket No. F-6690

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REMARKS

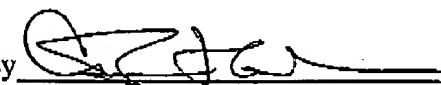
Applicants wish to thank the Examiner in charge of this application for the courteous and helpful interview given on November 25, 2003.

At the interview, the Examiner indicated that the application would probably be allowable if the term "unbonded" were deleted from claims 1 and 3, since the only rejection of the claims in the outstanding Office Action was based on the position that this term lacked support in the specification. The deletion of this term would be accomplished by the foregoing Amendment.

In accordance with the Office Action, entry of the amendment would put the application in condition for allowance, and such entry and allowance at an early date are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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